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SUBJECT: EXIM CREDIT TO AIR AFRIQUE

- 1. THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF EXIMBANK ON JULY 17 AUTHORIZED A DOLS 2,160,000 CREDIT TO AIR AFRIQUE TO FINANCE 40 PERCENT OF THE US COSTS OF ONEUSED DC-8-55F AIRCRAFT PLUS RELATED SPARE PARTS AND GROUND EQUIPMENT TO BE PURCHASED FROM SEABOARD WORLD AIRLINES, INC.
- 2. TERMS CALL FOR THE BORROWER TO MAKE A CASH PAYMENT OF 20 PERCENT OF THE US COSTS OR DOLS1,080,000. THE BALANCE OF 40 PERCENT OR DOLS 2,160,000 WILL BE EXTENDED BY SECURITY PACIFIC NATIONAL BANK AND A CONSORTIUM OF WEST AFRICAN BANKS AND WILL NOT BE GUARANTEED BY EXIMBANK. REPAYMENT TO BE MADE SEMIANNUALLY OVER A PERIOD OF 7 YEARS BEGINNING FEBRUARY 10, 1976. EXIMBANK UNCLASSIFIED

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INTEREST RATE IS 8 PERCENT. EXIMBANK CREDIT TO BE GUARANTEED BY GOVERNMENT OF GABON.

3. REQUEST EMBASSY ABIDJAN ADVISE AIR AFRIQUE OF THIS ACTION,

WHICH WILL BE DET	AILED IN COMMITMENT LETTER TO BE SENT TO BORROW	/ER
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